

# 4<sup>th</sup> Annual

Hampton Roads Alliance for Environmental Education Conference



Thursday, August 23, 2007 9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Downtown Norfolk (Board Rover 8:45AM!!!)

Sponsored by HRAEE & The Department of Environmental Education, DEQ – Va. Naturally

### HRAEE CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

Name	
Organization/Locality/Affiliation	
Street Address	
City	Zip
Daytime Phone	
E-Mail Address	

(LUNCH WILL NOT BE PROVIDED THIS YEAR.)

# REGISTRATION DEADLINE: AUGUST 16<sup>TH</sup> 2007

Please return your registration to Holly Carson at the Ernie Morgan Environmental Activity Center. (Earth Day activity reports from 2007 are also now being accepted! Tell us about your 2007 programs / projects for recognition during the awards ceremony.)

Email: holly.carson@norfolk.gov

Fax: (757) 441-5285

Mail: 3500 - A Granby Street, Norfolk, VA 23504

### For information or questions, call Holly Carson at (757) 441-1347.

The HRAEE Conference is free and open to the HRAEE membership. If you are not a member of HRAEE and are interested in joining, please contact Holly Carson today. Membership is free and open to those interested or involved in the environmental education realm.

Formal and informal educators are welcome.

# **CONFERENCE AGENDA**

(PUT ON YOUR WALKING SHOES! THIS IS A RAIN OR SHINE EVENT!)

### 9:00-11:00 American Rover (*Board Rover 8:45AM!!!*)

9:00-9:15AM Welcome remarks

9:15-11:00AM Session I (2 concurrent options)

Corporate Sponsorship (James Sturgeon, Sam's Club)

> Incorporating Sustainability Education into Your EE

10:00-10:45AM Networking/docking

10:45-11:00AM Walk to Nauticus/restrooms

#### **11:00-11:45** Nauticus Theater

View Giant Screen, High Definition Movie at Nauticus: **Port of Virginia** 

11:45-Noon – Walk to Hanbury Evans Building

#### **12:00-3:30 Hanbury Evans**

12:00-12:30PM	Waste-free Lunch *
12:30-1:00PM	Awards Ceremony
1:00-1:45PM	Session I: What is Climate Change?
1:45-2:00PM	Break/switch
2:00-2:45PM	Session II: Green Building: How to Green Your Facility
2:45-3:00PM	Break/switch
3:00-3:30PM	Session IV: Green Roof Tour

# CONFERENCE EXTRAS

\* KNB (Keep Norfolk Beautiful) is sponsoring the "Waste-free Lunch Contest" to make bringing your own lunch creative and fun. KNB will offer prizes to those that bring a lunch that doesn't generate any trash (using reusable containers, recyclable bottles, etc.)

American Rover is a tall cruise ship along the Elizabeth River. Cruises showcase the best of America's greatest seaport. Sail majestically by giant merchant and navy ships, tugs, fishermen, yachts, and all the wonders of our bustling waters. The ships' design was inspired by 19th century cargo schooners, yet possesses modern amenities that assure a comfortable cruise...spacious topside decks with seating, climate controlled below deck cocktail lounges, clean restrooms, and a ship's store offering souvenirs, snacks, sandwiches, & your favorite beverages. <a href="http://www.americanrover.com">http://www.americanrover.com</a>

**Nauticus** is a spectacular maritime-themed science center featuring hands-on exhibits, interactive theaters, aquaria, digital high-definition films, and an extensive variety of educational programs. A gift shop and restaurant complement the experience. <a href="http://www.nauticus.org">http://www.nauticus.org</a> FILM: With the largest natural harbor on earth, the Port of Virginia serves as a gateway to the world through maritime operations. This original hidefinition film captures Port activity as choreographed motions of trains, cranes and container ships reveal the beauty of transportation where workers are the masters of the machinery that dwarves them. Produced by Nauticus in conjunction with Xenon.

**Hanbury Evans Building** is a design firm providing architecture, preservation, planning, interiors and landscape design services throughout North America. The firm was established in 1977 and incorporated in 1979. They currently have offices in Norfolk, Virginia; Wytheville, Virginia, and Tampa, Florida. <a href="http://www.hewv.com">http://www.hewv.com</a>

### **DIRECTIONS & DETAILS:**



American Rover: Take I-64 toward Norfolk. Take I-264 West (if coming from the Virginia Beach just take I-264 West), towards downtown Norfolk. Take the left exit onto Waterside Drive. Go two short blocks to the blue roofed Waterside Festival Marketplace. The AMERICAN ROVER Dock is just behind the Waterside building to the right facing across the water. (Steps are present to the dock and Rover.)



**Nauticus:** (One Waterside Drive, Norfolk 23510) From the North or Northwest (Williamsburg/Richmond) Take I-64 East - Exit onto 264 West towards Downtown Norfolk. Take the Waterside Drive exit #9. Nauticus is four lights down on the left.

From the South or Southwest Take I-64 West Exit onto 264 West towards Downtown Norfolk. Take the Waterside Drive exit #9. Nauticus is four lights down on the left. (*Elevators are available.*)



**Hanbury Evans Building:** (120 Atlantic Street, Norfolk 23510) From Nauticus, it is but a five-minute walk up Main Street to Atlantic Street at the Marriott. Turn left on Atlantic Street and the building is located before the E. Plume Street. (The Hanbury Evans Building is across the street from the Main Street Parking Lot.) (*The meeting room is on the 1st floor. The rooftop tour is accessible by permanent ladder against wall leading to a ceiling hatch.*)

### **PARKING:**

Because the conference begins with the American Rover just down Waterside Drive from the Nauticus, and ends downtown a few blocks away, parking in the City of Norfolk garages would be recommended. There are a number of garages to choose from. Unfortunately, reimbursement for parking is not within the budget at this time. Please go here for more suggestions on parking in downtown Norfolk: <a href="http://www.norfolk.gov/Parking/Map.asp">http://www.norfolk.gov/Parking/Map.asp</a> (For planning purposes when looking at the city online map, the conference begins behind "S" and continues at item "M" and concludes across the street from item #2.)

(Free Parking Alternatives: Check out the NET!)

http://www.norfolk.gov/Visitors/net.asp

# WHAT TO BRING?

- ➤ Lunch! Waste Free Lunch!
- ➤ Comfortable walking shoes...
- ➤ Rain gear...
- > Business cards for networking...
- > Enthusiasm and excitement for EE!!!

Please be sure to be at the Rover no later than 9:00 a.m. The ship WILL leave without you! Early registration will grantee your spot on the ship! Feel free to bring your own refreshments to keep you hydrated or caffeinated throughout the day. Alternative transportation will be available to those in need and that notify us in advance so that arrangements can be made.





### **Past Conference Hosts:**

2004 - Virginia Living Museum

2005 - Williams & Mary College / Busch Gardens Tour

2006 - Norfolk Botanical Gardens www.nbgs.org

Are you interested in hosting the 2008 conference? Contact HRAEE today or be sure to list it on the evaluation flyer following this year's conference!